

## CZECHO-SLOVAKS TO ORGANIZE A GOVERNMENT

### MAKING OF BEER HALTED DEC. 1

Action Is Taken by Food Administration for Several Reasons.

#### SHORTAGE OF LABOR

Need of Entire Fuel Production for War Industries, Drouth and Strain Upon Transportation Are Principal Causes.

Washington, Sept. 7.—As a war measure the manufacture of beer in the United States will be prohibited after Dec. 1 next.

This announcement was made by the food administration, which said the decision had been reached at conferences between President Wilson and representatives of the fuel, food and railroad administrations and the war industries board.

Factors which influenced the decision to prohibit the manufacture of beer after Dec. 1, the food administration announcement said, were "the further necessity of war industries for the whole fuel production capacity of the country, the considerable drouth which has materially affected supply of feeding stuff for next year, the strain upon transportation to handle necessary industries, and the shortage of labor caused by enlargement of the army program."

Other Beverages Hit.  
Warning also was issued to manufacturers of all beverages and mineral waters that for the same reasons there will be "further great curtailment in fuel for the manufacture of glass containers, of the tin plate for cans, of transportation and of food products in such beverages."

Action along this line, it was said, had been expected by the brewing interests in view of the fuel administration's order of last July 3, reducing coal consumption of breweries 50 per cent and a warning that they might not be able to continue in business.

Under national prohibition legislation, passed by the Senate and sent to the House, which enacted similar legislation last May, manufacture of beer and wine would be prohibited after next May 1.

#### CHINA HAS NEW PRESIDENT

Hsu Shih Chang Is Elected by Large Majority.

Peking, Sept. 7.—Hsu Shih Chang, former president of the privy council, has been elected president of the Chinese republic by a large majority.

Hsu Shih Chang became prominent during the latter days of the Chinese monarchy. He was one of the leading statesmen who conducted the negotiations preliminary to the settlement of the relations between Japan, Russia and China as the result of the Russo-Japanese war.

When Hsuan Tong relinquished the role of emperor in the summer of 1917 Hsu was appointed his guardian. Last month he was nominated for the presidency by the generals of the Northern Chinese army.

#### FINAL DRAFT IS APPROVED

Railroad Officials Ratify Contract With Government.

New York, Sept. 7.—The railroad executives' advisory committee met here and placed its stamp of approval upon the final draft of the railroad contract with the government. The National Association of Railroad Securities also held a meeting and decided that the contract, although somewhat improved, was still unsatisfactory to its members.

The railroad executives' committee sent a letter to each of the 82 class one railroads, advising them to accept the contract under which the federal direction of the roads will be conducted.

#### WORLD'S BASEBALL SERIES

Chicago Defeats Boston in Second Game—Score 3-1.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—The second battle of the 1918 World Series got away to a lively start when the Chicago Cubs began laying the wood to the sphere in the second inning. It netted them three runs. Boston scored one run in the ninth. The score by innings: Boston . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—; Chicago . . . 0 3 0 0 0 0 0—; Boston—Bush and Agnew; Chicago—Twier and Killefer.

CHAS. S. WHITMAN

New York Governor, Who Has Been Renominated.



Charles S. Whitman, governor of New York, who won the nomination for a third term with ease at the recent primaries.

### Twenty Thousand Slight Casualties Not Reported

BY CARL D. GROAT.  
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Washington, Sept. 7.—Twenty thousand slight American casualties had not been reported to the war department up to August 25, according to General March today. These cases are all listed as light and not worrisome. General Pershing was given permission to withhold the slight casualties on the theory that their publication would cause unwarranted anxiety. Hereafter the war department will give full information about all casualties.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Adding twenty thousand slight casualties mentioned by General March today to those published up to date, American casualties have reached forty-six thousand nine hundred and thirty, a great percentage of which were suffered during the American smash along the Marne.

American Refugees Reach Sweden.  
Stockholm, Sept. 7.—The American refugees who left Moscow Aug. 26, arrived at Haparanda, Sweden, after an uneven trip through Finland. The Italian military mission accompanied the Americans from Moscow.

### No Casualties on the Mount Vernon

(By United Press)

Washington, Sept. 7.—In the absence of any word early today the navy department doubted there were any casualties in the torpedoing of the American transport Mount Vernon off the French coast. She made port safe.

### French at Gate of St. Simon

BY JOHN DEGANDT.  
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Paris, Sept. 7.—The Chemin des Dames is under cross fire from the allied troops south of the Aisne to the westward. The French are reported at the extremity of the Crozat canal which places them at the gates of St. Simon.

## ARE READY TO ASSUME CONTROL WHEN FREED FROM AUSTRIAN YOKE

### Heavy Smoke Lining Plateau Between Vesle and Aisne and Increased Boche Artillery Fire Evident

Ninety-Three Per Cent of the American Troops Now In France are Under Direct Command of General John J. Pershing

#### 93 Per Cent of American Troops Under Pershing

(By United Press)

Washington, Sept. 7.—Ninety-three per cent of the American troops in France are under the direct command of General Pershing, senators at the war department conference today said they were informed. They took this to mean that this distinctive force is about ready to be used for some big purpose, though they said specifically they had received no intimation of the staff's plan. Some of these senators were inclined to think that a big drive might be started with this enormous American force.

#### Americans Wiping Out Machine Gun Nests

(By United Press)

With Americans on the Aisne, Sept. 7.—The Americans on the right of the line are continuing to advance toward the Aisne at some points. At other places heavy machine gun fighting is in progress. Between Glennes and Romain the Americans are methodically wiping out machine gun nests. Many prisoners have been taken.

#### Czecho-Slovak Government Organized

(By United Press)

Washington, Sept. 7.—Czecho-Slovaks will have a centralized and fully organized government ready to assume control of the national domains of the Bohemians and Slovaks when they have been freed from the Austrian yoke. The United Press learned today that the Czecho-Slovaks following the recognition of their national council by the United States, have set about to consolidate their widespread activities and aspirations. Dr. T. G. Masaryk will soon go to Europe about the co-ordination of the efforts of his countrymen in Italy, France and England.

#### German Resistance Stiffening on Aisne

(By United Press)

With Americans on the Aisne, Sept. 7.—Heavy smoke is lining the plateau between the Vesle and the Aisne and increased boche artillery indicates the stiffening of the German resistance. The fighting is particularly heavy on the right of the line where the Americans have not yet reached the river.

#### Germans Building Defenses on Holl- and Belgian Line

(By United Press)

Amsterdam, Sept. 7.—On the Belgian-Dutch frontier the German members of the Landsturm sappers corps are today building a new line of defense. This frontier runs from 28 to 150 miles behind the present fighting in France and Belgium.

#### French Progress Toward Hindenburg Line

(By United Press)

Paris, Sept. 7.—The French are progressing toward St. Quentin, La-Fere and Laon it is announced officially. Nine more towns have been taken. Having passed through Ham the French are nearing St. Simon eight miles from St. Quentin. The whole Coucy forest has been seized and Paris seven miles west of Laon has been captured.

#### British Take Hamcourt

(By United Press)

London, Sept. 7.—Hamcourt has been taken by the British, General Haig reported.

## ALLIES IN SIGHT OF FOE DEFENSE

EDMUND J. JAMES

University President Resigns to Engage in War Work.



Edmund James James, president of the University of Illinois, has presented his resignation to the board of trustees. President James tendered his resignation in a letter which read in part as follows: "In this world conflict in which our beloved country finds itself involved, I felt from the beginning that I ought to be doing my part in a more direct way to help win for us and our allies a speedy and decisive victory."

#### Boston Clamps on Game Fourth Inning

Comiskey Park, Chicago, Sept. 7.—Boston battery today was Mays and Schang; for Chicago Cubs, Vaughn and Killefer.

First inning, Boston 0, Chicago 0. Second inning, Boston 0, Chicago 0.

Third inning, Boston 0, Chicago 0. Fourth inning, Boston—Strunk fanned. Whiteman was hit by a pitched ball and went to second on McInnis' single. Schang singled, scoring Whiteman. Scott singled, scoring McInnis. Thomas singled to right and Schang was out at the plate. Mays fled out. Two runs, four hits.

Chicago, no runs, one hit.

Mangin's Troops Reach Positions Within 10 Miles of Laon, Key of Enemy Positions.

#### HAM IS SURROUNDED

Making Continuous Gains, Allies Cross Hindenburg Line in South—Foch Battles for St. Gobian Forest, Teuton Bulwark.

Paris, Sept. 7.—The French have occupied all their old trenches along the whole front to the north of the Aisne river and also have captured the towns of Ham and Chauny in the salient southwest of St. Quentin, says the official communication issued by the War office tonight.

South of the Aisne, the American troops have made further progress in the region of Villers-en-Prayeres and Revillon.

The French advance east of the Canal du Nord at some places has reached a depth of more than 10 kilometres, or approximately six miles.

London, Sept. 7.—The British troops south of Peronne are advancing approximately seven miles east of the Somme on the general line of Monchy-Lagache, Vraignes and Tincourt, all of which villages have been taken by them, according to Field Marshal Haig's communication. In the Lys sector slight advances have been made by the British.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Occupation by American troops of three additional villages north of the Vesle was announced in General Pershing's communique received at the War department. American patrols were reported on the south bank of the Aisne canal.

London, Sept. 7.—The Allied forces, continuing their pressure along the front from Rheims to Ypres, are pushing back the Germans on virtually this entire line of 150 miles.

Telling progress has been made in particular by the French and Americans along the southern end of the front. The French are before the old Hindenburg positions along a considerable stretch in this sector, where they are closing in upon the bastion of St. Gobian forest, the keystone of the German defensive system in the west.

Americans Occupy Heights.  
The Americans have advanced and occupy the heights on the south bank of the Aisne, the river below furnishing the Germans protection for the moment in organizing their retreat.

The French forces of General Mangin's army have crossed the Aisne northeast of Soissons, captured Coucy le Chateau and threaten the German defenses in the Chemin des Dames.

Fall of Ham Expected.  
To the north General Humbert's army has crossed the Somme canal and advanced from two to four miles in a flanking movement on Ham, the fall of which is imminent.

In the latest fighting in the region extending from the old Noyon sector to Soissons the French have reclaimed 20 villages from the Germans.

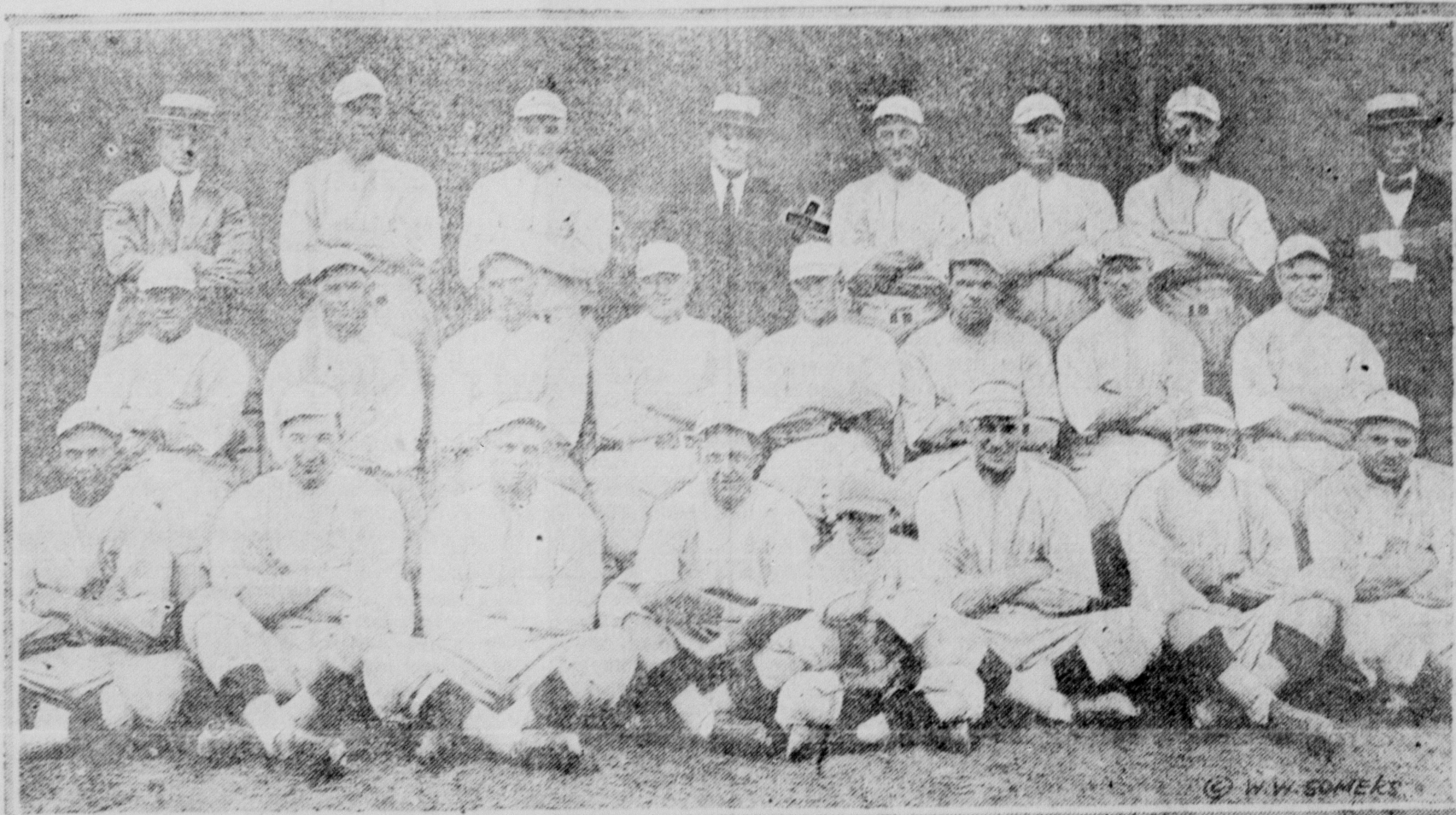
On the south they have made further crossings of the Ailette river and are fast skirting the great wooded region which acts as a barrier to direct attack on Laon, the Chemin des Dames and the western Aisne defenses of the enemy. Seemingly at the present rate of progress, this barrier will have been overcome and, indeed, the entire salient northwest of Soissons obliterated.

Hindenburg Line Again Broken.  
The French south of Fresnes, on the fringe of the high forest of Coucy have penetrated the old Hindenburg line.

#### French Have Occupied Tergnier

London, Sept. 7.—The French have occupied the important railway junction at Tergnier without opposition, cutting the German line of communication between St. Quentin and Laon, it is learned authoritatively. So far the French have advanced on an average of two miles on a twenty mile front, but the penetration at points has been four miles.

### Group of Boston Red Sox Who Play Chicago Cubs for Championship



Top row, from left to right—Secretary Graves, Kenny, Mays, Manager Barrow, Mayer, Agnew, Coffey, Trainer Lawler. Second row, sitting—Whiteman, Wagner, Hooper, Cochran, Bush (X), Ruth, Shean, Strunk. Bottom row—Scott, Dubuc, Pertica, McInnis, Mascot, Jones, Schang, Miller.



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**THE WEATHER**  
Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:  
Warmer.  
Co-operative observer's record, 7  
P. M.—  
Sept. 6, maximum 69, minimum  
40. Reading in evening, 69. North-  
west wind. Cloudy. Rainfall 0.01  
inch.  
Sept. 7, minimum during night,  
40.

### LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visiting Sold-  
iers, Other Visitors, Weddings,  
Deaths, Accidents, Etc., grate-  
fully received by the Dispatch.  
Telephone Northwest 74.

For Spring Water phone 264. If  
L. P. Hall of Bay Lake was in the  
city.

W. E. Paul went to Duluth this  
afternoon.

Wm. Falkenreck went to St. Paul  
this afternoon.

H. Turcoite returned from St.  
Paul this afternoon.

Money to loan on city real estate.  
J. H. Krekelberg. 74tf

Miss Edith McKay went to Minne-  
apolis this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Blackburn are  
visiting in St. Cloud today.

Rev. Theodore Clemens went to  
Little Falls this afternoon.

For bargains in houses and lots,  
see J. R. Smith-Sleeper Block. 226tf

Miss Dorothy C. Hall of Grinnell,  
Iowa, was a Brainerd visitor.

Mrs. J. W. Shoeing and son of  
Merrifield were in the city today.

Clayton Hollingsworth of Merrifield  
was in the city on business mat-  
ters.

W. T. Cox and wife and Miss Elora  
Gould and maid motored to Brainerd  
from St. Paul today.

Crystal Spring Water, \$1.00 month.  
L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

W. D. McKay leaves this evening  
for Saskatchewan, Canada, where he  
has large land interests.

Silas Wright of St. Paul was in  
the city on railway matters con-  
nected with his department.

Ernest Palmer and family, Mrs.  
Cook and Mr. Cook's mother drove  
to Minneapolis Friday evening.

Let Olson hand wash your rugs.  
Phone 653-J. 10tf

Trainmen say if the telephone  
girls cease giving time, people ought  
to stop calling up train dispatchers  
for time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McDonald of  
Bemidji were in the city today. He  
was a candidate for congress at the  
last primary election.

**BEST THEATRE**  
TODAY  
"ITALY'S FLAM-  
ING FRONT"

See Ad

Mrs. Louis Osen and daughter of  
Superior, Wis., friends of Mr. and  
Mrs. John Vanni, returned this af-  
ternoon from a visit in Sebeka.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Bjerke of Eau  
Claire, Wis., are visiting at the home  
of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Webber. Mrs.  
Bjerke is a niece of Mrs. Webber.

Charles Imgrund and Julius Deering  
went to Minneapolis this morn-  
ing and will return this evening with  
a new G.M.C. truck for the Imgrund  
garage.

Guaranteed Homer Pipeless Fur-  
naces for sale by D. M. Clark & Co.  
39tf

A case in municipal court this  
morning involved a neighborhood  
quarrel and further opportunity for  
hearing all sides will be given Mon-  
day morning at 10 o'clock.

Red Cross dance at Ft. Ripley Tues-  
day, Sept. 10. Blue Ribbon orches-  
tra. 8112

Dr. A. W. Shaw and family of  
Buhl and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Purdy  
of Minneapolis, motored to Brainerd  
today. Dr. Shaw has the rank of  
captain in the medical reserve.

Miss Dorothy Saunders has re-  
turned from a visit of two weeks  
with her sister, Miss Margaret Saunder-  
s in International Falls. The lat-  
ter is receiving clerk in the big pa-  
per mills there.

Ericson Bros. bakery has installed  
a Champion bread mixer which han-  
dles quickly, noiselessly and admir-  
ably 600 pounds of flour and is a  
great factor in making fine Victory  
bread. It is operated by an electric  
motor.

Nettleton sells realty and rabbits.  
75tf

The ball and bat fund fostered by  
O. H. Johnson of the Ransford hotel  
has attained the \$41.85 mark. On  
Monday the shops will be canvassed  
for contributions. The money goes  
to the soldiers to provide recreation  
in the way of balls and bats.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McMeekin and  
son, Attorney Thomas W. McMeekin  
of St. Paul, spent a week at Bay  
Lake and then motored to the fair.  
At Bay Lake they also had as their  
guest Attorney Frank Quinn of St.  
Paul, a friend of Mr. McMeekin.

For Sale—1918 Ford car run four  
months. Herbert Peterson, at Pri-  
deaux & Roller's garage. 61tf

O. J. Bouma, W. T. McCloskey,  
Theodore Miller, J. C. Clausen and  
other Odd Fellows will motor to Me-  
ley this evening to attend a lodge  
meeting there. Motley brothers have  
undertaken to receive the Brainerd  
delegation in a hospitable manner.

The war has created an over-  
whelming demand for stenographers  
and bookkeepers at salaries from  
\$1,000 to \$1,200 per year. This is  
your big opportunity if you have our  
training. Our new classes are just  
starting. Join them. Brainerd Com-  
mercial College. 11

Dispatch want ads measured over  
a column and a half on Friday eve-  
ning. There were 19 help wanted,  
11 for rent, 15 for sale and 3 miscel-  
laneous wants. Telephone your  
wants to the Dispatch, Northwest 74  
or mail the ad or have it sent to the  
office. Ads are cash. Their growing  
use evidences their merit.

The Brainerd Rifle club will have  
a shoot Sunday morning. All not  
completing their scores are especial-  
ly importuned to be at the range.  
The men will meet at 8 o'clock in the  
morning at the city hall and get guns  
and ammunition. A gasoline-less  
Sunday will thus enable many to put  
in some needed practice on the rifle  
range.

Select your large liberty lot now  
while choice is good. Only a few  
well timbered lots left. Use your  
increased income to secure a home  
of your own with spacious, rich  
grounds for gardens, chickens and  
rabbits. There's your quick, cheap  
meal and a rich source of enjoyment  
for the children. Liberty Realty  
Co., per Nettleton, president. 11

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Woodhead  
are the proud parents of a baby girl,  
first in the family, who arrived on  
Thursday night. Mr. Woodhead was  
at Minneapolis at the time and was  
wired and drove a car full speed for  
Brainerd. At Salida, a town dignified  
by the presence of an elevator  
and a store and a consolidated school  
house, the front axle gave way and  
Mr. Woodhead went into the ditch.  
He then took a train.

**She Saves Fuel.**  
A little old woman, wearing a wool-  
en dress, a black silk jacket and a  
little round hat, entered a surface car  
at a transfer station yesterday, her  
arms so filled with a great bundle of  
rumbled newspapers that she could  
barely keep her balance.

"We've got to conserve," she said  
cheerfully to another woman who held  
a seat for her, as she tumbled into a  
seat, making a dive at the same time  
for an evening paper that some one  
had left lying there. "Is this yours?  
No? Well, the government says we've  
got to save paper," she continued, as  
she added this last one to her already  
big package; "and I'll tell you it saves  
a lot of wood when I make my coffee  
in the morning."—New York Times.

# Saturday The Last Day

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### SOLDIERS MAY REBEL

Sparks of Revolution Are Flying  
in German Army.

Pacifist and Revolutionary Pamphlets  
Are Being Distributed  
Among Boches.

British Headquarters in France,  
Sept. 7.—Sparks of revolution seem to  
be flying even thicker in certain parts  
of the German army. Numerous pris-  
oners taken by the British mention  
the distribution of pacifist and revolu-  
tionary pamphlets among the troops.  
One prisoner who recently had re-  
turned from leave said that when in  
company of a large number of Ba-  
varians he was shown revolutionary  
pamphlets which he was told were  
being widely circulated. All the  
pamphlets, he added, were violently  
anti-Prussian and appealed to the men  
to refuse to fight.

It was asserted that during the re-  
cent fighting the commanding officer  
of the 137th Pioneer battalion of the  
Fifty-second division was shot by his  
men when he attempted to stop a  
panic-stricken rush from the trenches.  
A battalion surgeon captured said  
all the regimental officers he knew  
believed that General Ludendorff  
would fight delaying actions until the  
Allied offensive had died out, at the  
same time saving his "elite divisions"  
for a counterstroke, preparations for  
which were now being made. 11

### ABANDON PEACE OFFENSIVE

Teuton Officials Consider Present  
Time Not Opportune.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Germany and  
Austria have agreed that the present  
is no time to start a peace offensive,  
according to a dispatch from Switzer-  
land, reporting on the recent con-  
ference at Vienna between Admiral  
von Hintze and Count Burian.

This message says the Teutonic for-  
eign ministers agreed that the Allies  
must be made to realize that Marshal  
Foch cannot break the German front,  
and that years would be required to  
defeat Germany.

### CARS TO MOVE WHEAT CROP

Director McAduo Promises Ample  
Supply for Northwest.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Senator Kel-  
logg has been promised by Director  
General McAduo that an ample supply  
of freight cars will be furnished to  
move the wheat crop of the Northwest  
promptly. Special attention is being  
taken of the matter by Carl R. Gray,  
supervisor of car distribution.

### WOULD SHUT OFF ALL DEBATE

Foe Army Officers Afraid of Effects  
on People.

Zurich, Sept. 7.—The German gen-  
eral staff has informed Imperial Chan-  
cellor Hertling that any debate in the  
reichstag on present military events  
would be disastrous to the army as  
well as to the morale of the German  
people, it was reported here.

**Plane Propeller Kills Soldier.**  
Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 7.—Private  
C. E. Gillespie, Tulsa, Okla., was in-  
stantly killed at Hick's flying field  
here when he was struck by a revol-  
ving propeller.

**More Interpreters Needed.**

Washington, Sept. 7.—Publication  
of orders providing for a substantial  
increase in the corps of interpreters  
of the army revived reports of plans  
for bringing to America large num-  
bers of Germans captured on the  
western front. The new orders pro-  
vide that in addition to the com-  
missioned personnel of the interpreter  
corps already authorized, there will  
be "one first lieutenant, one second  
lieutenant and one sergeant for each  
300 prisoners of war interned in the  
United States."

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY.

### AMUSEMENTS

At the Best Today

When Fatty Arbuckle appears in  
his latest side-splitting comedy,  
"Good Night, Nurse," at the Best  
theatre today, the popular verdict  
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the best comedies in which he has  
been seen in many a day.

The comedy deals with the fortunes  
of a bon vivant who spends a  
night out and gets delightfully  
flushed before the wee sma' hours  
of the morning, when he starts for  
home, where an angry wife is await-  
ing him. He meets with a fellow  
bon vivant and the two have some  
interesting adventures, the result be-  
ing that "Fatty" is immured in a  
sanitarium by his wife.

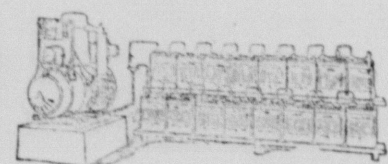
In the sanitarium he meets with  
other adventures, including a meet-  
ing with a girl patient who believes  
herself to be a mermaid. When she  
takes him in her confidence, there is  
something doing every minute. One  
laugh follows the other, so that one  
is apt himself to seek a sanitarium  
after seeing the comedy. Mr. Ar-  
buckle is supported by Al St. John,  
Easter Keaton and Alice Lake—all  
comedians of the highest merit.

At the Best Sunday

It would be difficult to find, in the  
whole range of drama and opera, a  
piece that has won more signal re-  
nown than "La Tosca," which is Paul-  
ine Frederick's newest Paramount  
picture showing at the Best theatre  
Sunday. It was written by Victor-  
ian Sardou, upwards of thirty years  
ago expressly for Sarah Bernhardt.  
It was in this play, later adapted for  
the operatic stage, that she made one  
of the greatest successes of her won-  
derful career.

Miss Frederick in the adorable  
curb and quaint poke-bonnet-like  
hats affected by "Tosca" is more  
beautiful than ever and as we watch  
her progress through the episode of  
the hiding of the fugitive, Angelotti,  
the capture and torture of her lover,  
Mario for it, and the beguiling of the  
hardened old police chief, Baron  
Scarpia into liberating her lover, we  
can not wonder at the sad havoc she  
wreaks upon the hearts of her many  
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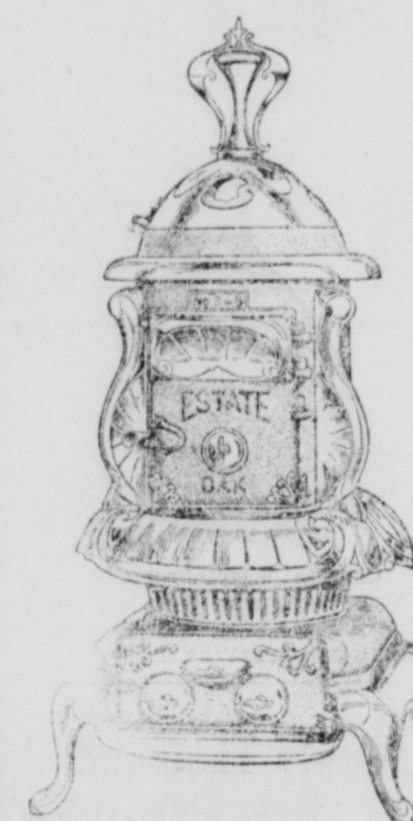
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## WOMAN'S REALM

## PRICE BOARD FOR EVERY COMMUNITY

One of the Principal Tasks of the United States Food Administration Outlined

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF A. D. WILSON

Boards to Serve as Protection to the Consuming Public Against Profiteering

(From Official Food News Published by the Federal Food Administration for Minnesota.)

The establishment of price interpretation boards in every community in the country will be one of the principal tasks of the food administration for the coming year. This has been indicated by a statement recently received by A. D. Wilson, federal food administrator for Minnesota, from the office of the United States Food Administration at Washington. The announcement to Mr. Wilson contained the following:

"From a deficient 1917 crop we have through conservation, accomplished a seemingly impossible task in maintaining with food the allied armies and civilian population. While conservation will continue to be a constant text prices will take a more important part in the coming year's program. It is the hope of the food administration to have price interpretation boards installed in every section of the country. These boards are the food administration's protection to the consumer against profiteering. The public, therefore, should demand both price interpretation and the continuous publication of a fair price list.

"The retail merchant should welcome price interpretations provided he desires to make only a fair profit. They become his protection and safeguard him from the charge of unfair dealing or profiteering.

"At the present time two theories of economies are before the country. One is for the stabilization of prices by the elimination of unnecessary intermediate profits and of speculative profits so that the articles may reach the consumer without profiteering, but with reasonable profit to the producer and to the merchant for handling the goods. This is the food administration's plan of price interpretation and is the weapon by which it is sought to be established.

"The other plan is to meet an advance in price with another advance in price which would mean a continuously changing program of readjustment, including prices for labor. This can mean only continuous discontent and unrest."

Fair price interpretation boards exist and fair prices are published in 48 Minnesota cities at the present time.

## Dunvegan Castle.

Dunvegan castle, the ancient stronghold of the McLeod clan is one of the oldest inhabited dwellings in the world. For 700 years it has been the home of the chief of the clan. The present chief has modernized a part, but in the main it remains as it has been since the beginning of the thirteenth century. Grim and gray, like a warrior of the old days, it perches high on the ledge of a huge, rough rock, almost an island. The waters of the loch, without which a Scottish castle is incomplete, beat upon the rock on three sides, which is, perhaps, one of the reasons that the castle remained in the hands of the McLeods even during the troublesome ages.

DISPATCH ADS BRING RESULTS

## Framling-Bloomstrom

Miss Ida Framling was married to Melvin Bloomstrom on Saturday morning at the parsonage of the Evangelical Association church, Rev. G. Herbold officiating. The attendants were B. F. Thomas and Miss Ellen Erickson.

The bride wore a becoming blue traveling suit. Mr. Bloomstrom is the son of J. E. Bloomstrom of this city and is a valued employee of the shops. The bride is the daughter of Z. Framling of Jenkins and is a most popular young lady with a large circle of friends in the city. She had made her home with sisters in the city.

The happy couple left for a visit in the Twin Cities and upon their return will go to housekeeping in the city.

The Dispatch joins their many friends in extending best wishes for their continued happiness and prosperity.

## Harvest Home Supper

Tuesday evening from 5:30 to 8 o'clock the Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church will put on their annual harvest home supper in the church dining room, which will be appropriately decorated for the occasion with the fruits of garden, field and farm. A bountiful supper will be served to which the general public is cordially invited. The supper although plentiful will be in keeping with the directions of the food administration. This will be an appropriate sequence to the "Harvest Home" sermon preached by the pastor Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m.

## Junior League Re-organized

Last Sunday afternoon the Junior League of the Methodist church was reorganized for the fall term, Mrs. Arthur Kurz being Junior League superintendent. The following officers were elected:

President—Theodora Hillard. Vice president—Gladys Benson. Secretary—Mildred Brown. Treasurer—Margie Simmons. Assistant—Mrs. Kusba. The Junior League meets at 3:30 Sunday afternoons and parents are requested to remind their young folks of this service.

## Lyngblomsten Club

Mrs. A. F. Sorenson entertained the Lyngblomsten club on Friday afternoon. There was a large attendance and all spent a very enjoyable afternoon.



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## WHERE TO WORSHIP

Swedish Bethany Church  
Sunday school at 10 o'clock.  
Morning service at 11 o'clock.  
There will be no evening service as Rev. Clemens will be at Darling.

Swedish Lutheran Church  
Services Sunday morning at 10:30  
Sunday school at 9:30. No evening service as the pastor will be at Pillsbury.

Norwegian-Danish Lutheran  
Norwegian sermon at 10:30. Sunday school at 12. Confirmation class Saturday at 10:30 A. M. Rev. A. Sorenson.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church  
Sunday school at 9:30. Services at 10:45. There will be no evening services as the pastor will be at So. Long Lake.

Evangelical Association  
Corner Forsyth and Fourth Ave., N. E.—Sunday school 9:45 A. M. Services 11 A. M. Dykeman services at 3 P. M. Young Peoples meeting 7:15. Evening service at 8 o'clock. You are welcome.

Krech's Schoolhouse  
Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Krech's schoolhouse there will be a public preaching service conducted by Rev. F. W. Hill who will preach a Harvest Home sermon especially appropriate for farmers on the subject "Lest We Forget." Those living in this community are requested to be present.

Swedish Baptist Church  
Morning 10:30, subject "The Sure Foundation of God." Evening 8:00, English service, subject, "The Declaration of Ruth, or the Blessing of Being Steadfastly Minded." Sunday school at 12 noon. Mauritz Hagberg and Rev. Peterson will play and sing. We cordially invite you to attend our services. P. Alfred Peterson, pastor.

First Congregational Church  
The services in the First Congregational church this Sunday will be as follows:  
Morning worship 10:30, sermon, "The Calmness of Jesus." Special singing by the choir. Bible school 11:45. Vesper service 4:30, sermon "God's Masterpiece." Singing by the Ladies Vested Choir.  
We cordially invite you to worship with us. Rev. G. P. Sheridan, minister.

Presbyterian Church  
Morning worship at 10:30 o'clock. The theme of the sermon will be "Knowing to Find God." The evening service will be held at 8 and the sermon subject will be "The Past Condition of the Christian." This will be the first in a series of three sermons on the past, present and future of the Christian. Misses Anna Temple and Mrs. Grace Fite will sing a special number. Sabbath school at noon; Christian Endeavor at seven; mid-week prayer service at 8 on Thursdays. In the afternoon the pastor will preach at South Long Lake. A cordial invitation is extended. W. J. Lowrie, pastor.

Christian Science Church  
Christian Science services will be held in Camel's hall, Iron Exchange building at eleven o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon "Man." Golden text, Psalms 25:12. What man is he that feareth the Lord? Him shall he teach in the way that he shall choose. Responsive reading, Isaiah 55:6-12. Sunday school at ten o'clock. Reading room open daily from 3 to 5 p. m. except Sundays and holidays. All are welcome at these services.

Peoples Congregational Church  
Rev. William Lloyd Crist, pastor. Sabbath school, 10 A. M., lesson, "Conquering Evil." I Kings 21:11-20; Ephesians 5:11-18. Classes for all ages, with good teachers. Morning service 11 o'clock, subject, "Kindling a Fire." Evening service 8 o'clock, subject "The Atonement." If not worshipping elsewhere, we invite you to meet with us.

First Baptist Church  
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. The pastor will speak on the subject "A Young Man's Vision." Anthem by the choir. Evening service at 8 o'clock. The pastor will give the second sermon in the series on "The Prodigal Son" on the subject "Home-sick." Dr. A. K. Cohen will sing the solo, "Home Sweet Home," and the choir will sing an anthem. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. with interesting classes for all. B. Y. P. U. at 7 P. M. for all young people. Service will be held at the Daggett Brook church at 3 P. M.

A special invitation is extended to you to attend the Sunday night service. All young men not in a similar organization, are requested to attend the Baraca class, a live and helpful organization of young men. R. E. Cody, pastor.

## HOLD ALL WISDOM IN KORAN

Arabs of the Desert Place Implicit Faith in the Teachings of Their Prophet Mahomet.

An Arab of the desert, one of the Bedawi. What are these Arabs of the desert? Today they look across the sands upon their droves of sheep and camels and peaceful are their nights. But in the olden days, the days of which they dream and chant their songs as they lie before their tents at nightfall, they were not men of pastoral tasks, but they looked upon their lances brilliant in the sunlight, horses charging into battle, men with keen dark faces filled with lust for blood and booty. They hear their women close behind them, women like those sitting now beside me, shrieking blame or telling them that death upon the battlefield was only opening wide for them the gates of paradise. They bore their flag around the eastern world, their flag that is founded on a book. The men of other nations have many books, but the Beduin of the desert, the follower of the prophet, has but one, eternal, uncreated, written in the language they will bear in paradise. Within their book, the Koran, is the wisdom of the ages, and no one can add to it nor make its teachings less divine. It came from Allah's lips straight to the great Mohammed, and holds for all true followers the sum and substance of God's laws to men. That book has conquered half the world, and the Bedawi believe that the time is coming when the men of Islam shall possess the earth as their inheritance from God on high. It is written on their foreheads. These Arabs of the desert, these keen-eyed men sitting so quietly in the white moonlight, are proud with a pride we do not understand. They are proud of their lineage, of the purity of their blood, of their unbroken traditions. They are the real adventurers of the world, and their nervous, high-strung, daring characteristics have become the permanent marks of their race. One finds them ready to do and dare everything that appeals to their imagination. A cause must appeal to their emotions—must appeal to the heart, not the head—those same riotous emotions which never produce, but always ruin.—From Asia Magazine.

Yank Surprises French Men.  
Lieut. J. Wray Chase of Eugene, Ore., is probably regarded as a cowboy proficient in throwing the lariat, in the opinion of one French officer. Lieutenant Chase, in a letter to his wife, tells of an incident in connection with the moving of a gun.

"Yesterday we were taking a gun through a bad place," he writes. "There was about twenty feet of water, and after the gun was across I still had the brake rope on my side, so I gave it a swing and hung it nicely over the gun out of the water and mud.

"A French captain stood there and said: 'That's pretty good!'  
"Oh, I am from the West, you know," I replied, just as if I had intended to throw the rope that way. He said he knew that place and that it was a fine place. I never let on that I couldn't do the same thing again, and not one asked me to try, so everything went along without argument or explanation."

## Haircuts Coming High.

It begins to look as if the married man will have to get his wife to mow the grass on his home or learn to cut his own hair. For the 50-cent haircut has appeared on the barber shop horizon. The Master Barbers' association has decided that in these prosperous times their rakeoff is not sufficient to purchase the good things, so they have called a meeting for the purpose of boosting the price of a haircut to 50 cents. There is an excuse, of course. It is the war. Many barbers have been taken by the draft, is the assertion of the master wielders of the shears and razors, and it is difficult to get expert hair cutters and shavers to fill their places. Also the tips have fallen off so the bosses are confronted with the possibility of paying higher wages to counteract the loss of tips, thus playing the good old game of "passing it on to the consumer."—New York Sun

## His Bread Pan No Wash Basin.

The only pan in the camp of forest fire fighters on North river and the refusal of the cook of the camp to allow the pan to be used as a wash basin started the trouble which resulted in the discharge of part of the crew, who were forced to walk back to civilization many a weary mile to enjoy the luxury of a bathtub and restaurant meals, says a Seattle (Wash. Dispatch) to Milwaukee Free Press.

The cook decreed that the pan must be used for bread-making purposes only. He objected, as did the foreman to the combination use of the pan. Orders were issued that all fire fighters could have their soiled countenances in a nearby creek.

Now the cook has supreme control and supervision of the pan for bread-making only.

## Gold Mining Classed as Essential.

Gold mining has been listed as an essential industry, the war industries board announced on July 19, and all reasonable priority of material and supplies used in gold production will be given. The action was taken on request of the treasury department. The decision was interpreted by an official of the priorities committee to mean that every possible assistance would be given the gold mines in obtaining necessary materials.—Engineering and Mining Journal.

## LAID PLANS

By JACK LAWTON.

As far back as she could remember, Laurel had known of the enmity existing between her father's family and that of their neighbor farther down the road. It was Laurel's mother who had told her the tale of her grandfather's crime.

"It was best," she had said, "that the child should learn of it from her own." Laurel had longed to make the mountain neighbor's child her companion, life was lonely among the hills. So Laurel's mother had explained why this could not be.

She had listened in frightened horror. Her grandfather was a murderer. That was the fact in all its brutal plainness, as her mother told it. Grandfather had killed the man who would be this mountain child's grandfather. His crime had been vindicated because the deed was considered one of self-defense.

But the grandfather had sought no such excuse. "Murder," he said, was in his heart at the time. "The man had told a cruel lie to the woman he loved, breaking the engagement between them. On the narrow mountain trail he had met and accused the victim, and when they had struggled in anger it had ended in the fall of the man to his death below.

Self-confessed, Laurel's grandfather was a murderer, and the shadow lingered on those who followed. Reconciled, he had married his sweetheart, but the enmity between the two families concerned remained a thing of reality.

When Laurel's own saddened mother had gone forever from the mountain home, it was at her wish that her daughter be sent away to school, and to learn what the great outer world might hold. Now, in all the sweetness of a mountain summer, Laurel had come back again, to be with her father.

It was in the weather-beaten church on Sabbath that she raised her eyes from her singing book, to meet those of a stranger. From the outer world he, too, had come back to the primitive. Like her's, his own eyes had widened in question, "How come you here?" asked the stranger's eyes, "and who," flashed Laurels, "are you?"

After service both were answered. "That," said her father, in a tone of constraint, "is the last of the Wiltons, from down the road. He's been away for years, studying, they say, and getting rich."

On the following morning, she met the man of the questioning gaze on a narrow mountain trail. His pronounced avoidance of her proclaimed that the last of the Wiltons still bore aversion to the granddaughter of a murderer.

Laurel's soft eyes clouded, but she felt no resentment.

The next day Laurel took a different path, hoping to avoid the man's glances at sight of her, and as Dan Wilton had started out with the same purpose, the two came again face to face in the roadway. Laurel's hesitating smile met his frown. And as he looked down upon her again in "meeting" Laurel fancied that the neighbor's eyes wore a kinder light, as though against his own will he were acting a part. She found it impossible to banish his face from her thoughts.

Grieved, yet wondering why it should so grieve her, Laurel decided to confine her walks to the wood; there, fatefully, she met him. He stood for a moment, watching the sunlight filtering down on her face, then spoke:

"You must not think," he said slowly, "that my avoidance of you has been evidence of the foolish enmity of my family. You will find it as difficult to believe the truth as I—find it myself."

"I love you," said Dan Wilton. "I have loved you from the moment I looked into your eyes; but," he laughed harshly, "there is no use. I cannot reconcile that past stain in the blood."

Laurel's lip trembled; it did not occur to her to resent his self-confidence, to tell him that her own heart was not for the winning.

"We must not meet again," she said. "I always will take the upper path to town, you the lower. When I come to the wood, I shall leave always before four; it is a dark stain; I am sorry, and I understand."

Longing eyes followed her up the trail. She forgot as she determinedly kept to her stated routine, that the best-laid plans have been known to "gang alee."

Dan Wilton had forsaken the meeting house. He realized that he must resort to more rigid measures if he would keep from seeing the girl he loved. He must go away, and after four o'clock, therefore, through the silent wood he walked, fighting his fight.

True to her promise Laurel had left the eloquent spot of fir and pine. But on her homeward way she paused concerned. Her wrist watch was gone; she must have dropped it in the wood. Hastily she retraced her steps, absorbed in searching. So it was that face downward bent, Laurel passed—straight into Dan Wilton's arms.

"You come," he murmured, "in answer to the call of my heart. I cannot live without you, Laurel; it was a foolish fight. Love is strong enough to blot out any stain. Denrest, can you forgive me, and come?"

And when at last Laurel raised her radiant face from her lover's shoulder, her forgotten little watch lay glinting at her from the grass. (Copyright, 1918, Western Newspaper Union.)

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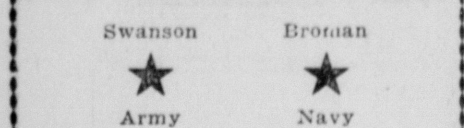
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## BREWERIES TO CLOSE

December 1 is the date set by the federal government for closing the breweries.

It will not greatly affect Brainerd, for the brewery here went out of business years ago. It will be a body blow to Little Falls whose brewery and products were a constant inducement for a visit in that city.

The elimination of beer will tend to reduce travel to and from Little Falls and correspondingly result in saving the wearing surface of thirty miles of roadway.

The brewing industry was largely originated and developed by the Germans. So highly did they regard breweries that not a one was Zeppelin or bombed. On the other hand, hospitals, churches, cathedrals, monuments, bridges, little children, old men and women, railways, soldiers, ships, were targets for bombs, but not a single brewery was hit.

There are many people who liked a light beer and did not relish strong whiskey. Such will have to realign their palates and get accustomed to straight water.

If the loss of beer and the breweries plunges you in the depths of despair, don't cuss the prohibition movement, or feel hurt. Damn the Kaiser.

## THIS DAY IN THE WAR

Sept. 7, 1917—Germans counter-attack near Ypres.

Sept. 7, 1916—French advance to within two-thirds of a mile of Chaumes.

Sept. 7, 1915—British warships bombard German positions on Belgian coast.

Sept. 7, 1914—Belgians repulse attacks on Antwerp.

## STUDY REGISTRATION CARD

Sept. 12, from 7 A. M. to 9 P. M., is the date of the biggest draft registration.

tration America ever witnessed. Study the form, the questions asked and be ready with your information.

The registration board gives its services free. Do all you can to keep the draft machinery running smoothly and don't expect the board to figure out information which you yourself are only aware of.

## ANOTHER "SCRAP OF PAPER"

The agreement between one big Hun and Gott now looks like it might be a "scrap of paper."

## BE PHILOSOPHICAL

Remember, the gasoline you save Sundays will help you pay your federal tax on the car.

## THE SEAT HOG, THE ROAD HOG AND JUST HOG

(Communicated)

Most any night you can find a real, good, live hog right here in this fair city of ours. Their best stamping ground is the Best theatre (it is also any other theatre in any other town.) We refer to the fauna better known as "Seat Hog". A strange feature in connection with the "Seat Hog" is that he sometimes makes up to look just like a real person and you fail to "get wise" to him until the lights are out and the show starts.

Just about that time, he gets his knees up against the back of the seat in front of him and keeps up a kind of "Hooghy coochy" movement so as to keep shaking the person in the seat ahead of him. He pulls just enough of this so one cannot enjoy the picture or keep his mind on it.

His next stunt is to take one good punch at the back of said seat with both knees and then drop his feet to the floor and pound out time to the music.

Following this expression of great mental capacity for music, he lolls to one side or the other clear over the arm of the seat he has paid for and into the seat some one else paid for and actually crowds women and children into the farther side of their seats.

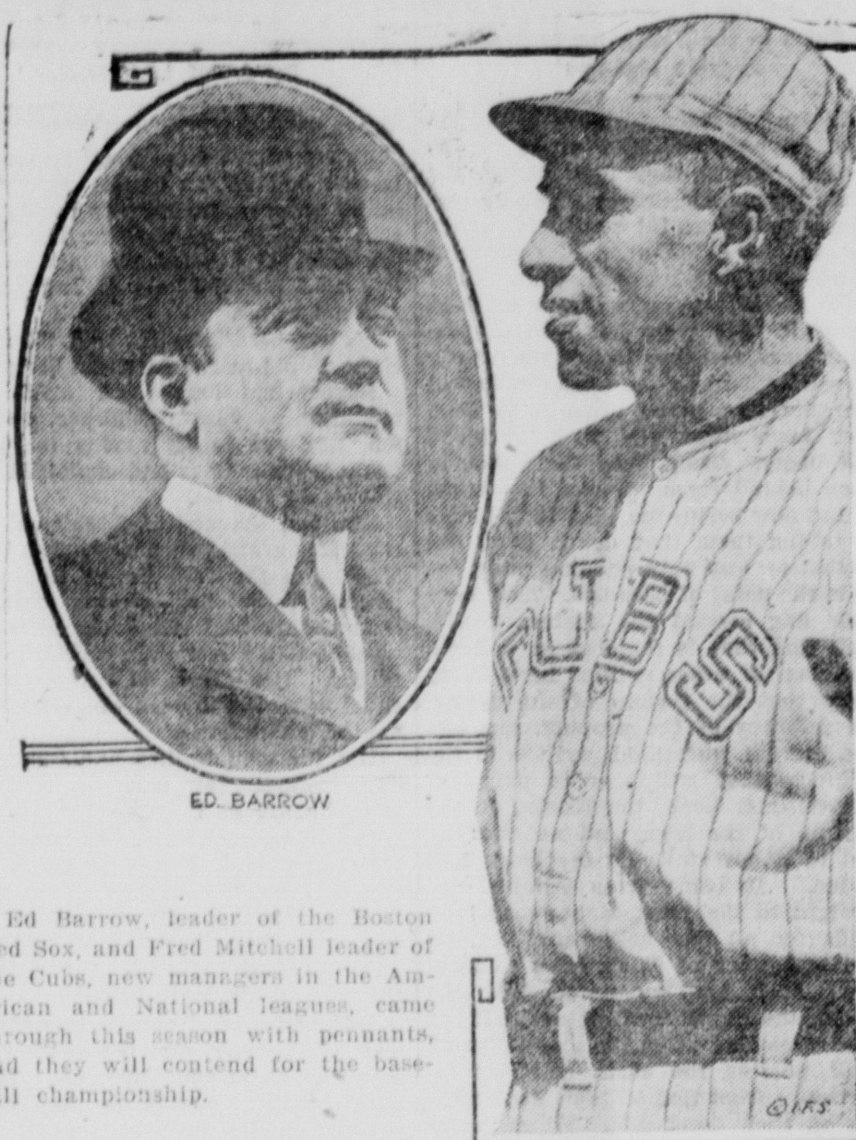
Next, he crosses his knees and puts the toe of his raised boot into the hinge crack of the seat forward so as to give the occupant a good punch. He works out combinations of these stunts and makes a complete success of annoying the person in front of him and the ones at either side of him.

It is a question which is the better way to go after this species, ask him to please keep to his own seat or take a real good "Hay-maker's Hook" to his chin. The trouble is, he may have had no bringing up or chance to learn anything and still eats pie with his knife picks his teeth in public, wears his hat over one ear and has to spit on the walks and in the presence of others. He shows a lack of any intelligence by not acting as others whom he knows have had proper training. In that case it seems too bad to use the "Hay-maker" cure.

It might do some good if the house would make a slide and throw on the screen something to remind each person (and hog) that only one seat goes with each admission paid for and that it shows ill breeding to get on or shake the seat occupied by another. It would be good business if the house provided an officer whose duty it would be to look the house over for the hog and put him wise to the way white people act since we have started in to show the hun hogs where to get off at.

The Road Hog  
 He is the one who lets his car set

## New Managers Who Produced Champions



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Ed Barrow, leader of the Boston Red Sox, and Fred Mitchell leader of the Cubs, new managers in the American and National leagues, came through this season with pennants, and they will contend for the baseball championship.



FRED MITCHELL

## HESSIAN FLY IS MOST INJURIOUS

Insect Is Found Throughout Almost the Entire Winter Wheat Region.

## EGGS HATCH INTO MAGGOTS

Only Known Means of Preventing Damage From Pest Is to Keep It Out—Brown "Flaxseeds" May Be Detected in Winter.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The Hessian fly, found throughout almost the entire winter-wheat region, is a minute, mosquito-like fly which lays its eggs upon the leaves of wheat. These eggs hatch into little maggots which crawl down into the leaf sheaths. There they live upon the plant's sap, which they obtain by gnawing into the soft portions of the stem. Usually two, but sometimes three or more, generations of the insect occur during a year.

One main generation of flies appears in the fall, the large proportion of the maggots becoming full-grown before the severe weather of winter arrives, when they change into brown seedlike forms known as "flaxseeds." These may be found within the leaf sheaths in young wheat plants, usually at or beneath the surface of the soil. These overwintering "flaxseeds" produce the spring generation of flies. These, in turn, lay eggs from which hatch maggots that cause great injury to wheat, noticed about harvest time, when the straws break off and the crop is said to be "straw fallen."

## Keep Fly Out.

After the Hessian fly has once thoroughly infested the crop of wheat there is no known means of saving it, and the only known means of preventing damage from the fly is to keep it out of the wheat.

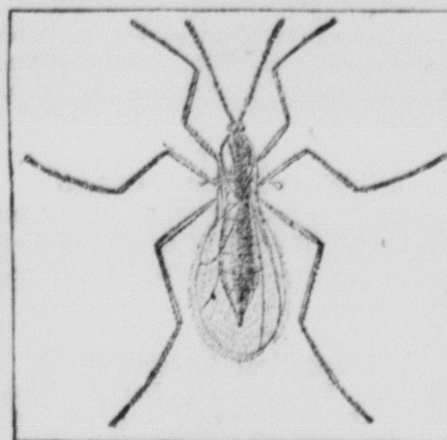
For this reason the young wheat should be examined thoroughly in order that the presence of the brown "flaxseeds" may be detected late in winter or very early in the spring, and if these are found to be present in large numbers it will pay to plow down

the wheat at once and prepare to plant corn, oats, or some other crop in its place. In this way the fertilizing value of the green crop will be retained in the soil and it will still be possible to secure a crop of grain or vegetables from the field during the current year.

## Preventive Remedies.

The remedies for the Hessian fly are entirely preventive and are as follows:

(1) Immediately after harvest, or as soon thereafter as practicable, plow the wheat stubble down deeply, at



The Hessian Fly—Adult Female, Much Enlarged.

least five inches deep if possible, in order to destroy the maggots and "flaxseeds" which may remain in it. This is for the protection of future crops.

(2) Pay great attention to the preparation of the seed bed for the wheat by plowing early and working and packing the soil thoroughly in order to eliminate lumps and clods, thus producing a finely pulverized, compact, and moisture-conserving bed for the seed.

(3) Destroy all volunteer wheat by plowing or disking, as such wheat serves to carry the flies over from fall to spring, even though most of the fields of wheat have been treated properly and contain no flies. One field in which volunteer wheat is allowed to remain may breed enough Hessian flies to infest a whole neighborhood where the grain is otherwise free from the fly.

(4) Take care that the sowing of wheat in the fall is delayed until the fly-free date. Information regarding this date can be obtained by applying to your county agricultural agent, your state experiment station, or to the nearest entomological field station of the United States department of agriculture.

(5) Practice a good rotation of crops wherever possible.

(6) Secure the co-operation of the entire community in following the methods mentioned. This is absolutely essential in order that satisfactory results may be obtained.

## In Favor of Small Flock.

One of the reasons why a small flock of hens does better than a large flock is because table scraps form a large part of the small flock's ration and they are an evenly balanced ration.

## EACH NEW SWORD IS BLESSED

Japanese, Past Masters in Art of Making Weapons, Offer Them When Completed to Goddess.

That the Japanese are past masters in the art of swordmaking is proved by the splendid weapons, equal to those of Toledo and Damascus, which they turn out. The actual method of swordmaking in Japan is jealously guarded, an extraordinary feature of the industry being the religious ceremony which accompanies every process of their manufacture. The walls of every swordmaking shop in Japan will be found to be covered with allegorical representations of the swordmakers and the chief goddess of the Shintos.

Even the final processes of polishing and sharpening are characterized by certain religious ceremonies, and finally the weapons are offered, one by one, to the sword god to be blessed, says London Tit-Bits. This ceremony consists in placing the swords in front of the goddess of the Shintos on the wall, with an offering of sake, rice and sweetmeats, after which prayer scrolls are read and blessing upon the work is invoked.

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## "The Kid Is Clever"

Biff, Bang—here is a star and story which has more snap and pep than any you have seen for many a day.

SHOWS, 3:00, 7:45, 9:15

ADMISSION 10 and 20c

## Tomorrow

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DIRECTION WILLIAM FOX

## Pauline Frederick in "La Tosca"

A mighty picture with a mighty star. The world's greatest and most tragic heroine brought to the screen by an emotional artist without a peer.

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DAILY MATINEES START NEXT SATURDAY

Special Matinee on Thursday, September 12th

## Some Cubs Who Will Fight for World's Championship





## PRUSSIANISM BARED IN CHURCH LECTURE

Rev. F. Osten-Sacken, Ph. D., Who Came to America to Escape the System, to Speak Here

### M. E. CHURCH SUNDAY EVENING

Member of Autocracy Himself, But Forsook Royalty, Wealth and Influence for America

Rev. F. Osten-Sacken, Ph. D., formerly of Prussia but now in government employ, touring the country lecturing against Prussianism, who came to this country to escape the autocracy and slavery of this system, will lecture Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock at the Methodist church on "Christian Statecraft."

Dr. Osten-Sacken was born in Germany. He holds degrees from both European and American universities. He was a member of the au-



Rev. F. Osten-Sacken, Ph. D.

toeracy himself but forsook royalty wealth and influence for the principles of American democracy.

For years he has been an instructor in eastern colleges and for twenty-five years he has been on the lecture platform. His experiences in Prussia and his portrayal of the blighting effect of Prussianism on the world should be heard by all who would know what Prussianism is.

This is a rare opportunity for the people of Brainerd to get first hand information on this absorbing subject. This address will take the place of the Sunday evening sermon by the pastor. Everyone is cordially invited.

## REQUEST FOR SAVING OF GASOLINE MADE

The following regarding the new gasoline and oil saving request of the United States Fuel Administration appears in the Official U. S. Bulletin, published under order of the president:

### East of Mississippi Only

"The request for this conservation applies only to the territory east of the Mississippi river. In this territory there are 4,000,000 motor-driven vehicles, of which approximately 200,000 are trucks. It is fair to assume that the remaining 3,800,000 motor vehicles if run on Sundays would each use two gallons of gasoline; so that the saving to be effected, if every motor user patriotically complies with the Fuel Administration's request, would be about 7,600,000 gallons. This would be in addition to the saving effected by the non-use of motorboats; and in this connection it might be well to state that the conservation request has no application to those motor fishing boats plying as a necessary trade.

### Points for the Motorist

"Motorists are requested to initiate every means of conservation possible in the handling and use of gasoline and lubricating oils. The use of gasoline and oil during other days, there probably will be no necessity for more severe control. "If this program is followed to the extent that the fuel administration believes it will be, a few Sundays will effect the desired conservation."

### NOTICE TO M. B. A. MEMBERS

Assessments can be paid to H. J. Fletcher, 708 1st Ave. N. E., until further notice.

## SUCCEEDS DR. W. A. ERICKSON

Dr. Dagney Just of Minneapolis, New Dentist in Citizens State Bank Block

Dr. W. A. Erickson, soon called to his country's service, will be succeeded by Dr. Dagney Just of Minneapolis, a graduate of the University of Minnesota dental school and who had practiced for a time in Minneapolis with Dr. Nils Juell.

Miss Just succeeded to Dr. Erickson's practice on Sept. 1 and the doctor is awaiting his call to service.

Dr. Just's mother, Mrs. John Just, is a cousin of Mons Mahlum of this city and Miss Just has frequently in the past visited the Mahlums at their summer cottage and there made the acquaintance of many Brainerd people.

## ELKS ELECT NEW EXALTED RULER

R. R. Gould Resigned From the Office and Was Succeeded by A. J. Ellison

### OTHER OFFICERS ADVANCED

Honorary Life Membership is Voted Unanimously to H. C. Miller of Staples

At the Elks regular meeting, a new Exalted Ruler was named to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of R. R. Gould. The latter has made a most capable presiding officer and head of the local order and it was with regret that the members accepted his resignation.

In the election resulting A. J. Ellison was advanced to the station of Exalted Ruler. It advanced other officers as follows:

Esteemed Leading Knight—Herbert Peterson.

Esteemed Loyal Knight—John A. Hoffbauer.

For Esteemed Lecturing Knight a new name was proposed, D. E. Dunham, and he was unanimously elected.

A large number of applications for membership were read, thus insuring the initiation of a large class in October. Commencing with October the lodge again meets twice a month, the first and third Thursdays.

H. C. Miller, a prominent member of Staples, who has done much for the order, was voted an honorary life membership.

The Elks service flag is to be brought to date, now having 28 stars.

### MANY CONTRACTS

Brainerd Electric Co., of Which B. E. Dunham is Head, Doing Much Electrical Work

The Brainerd Electric Co., of 718 Laurel street, of which B. E. Dunham is head, has had much electrical work under way. A Deico light plant has been installed on the farm of P. R. Anderson, three miles south of Brainerd.

House wired in Brainerd and fixtures installed in many cases included the Brooks house on 10th street Northeast Brainerd, R. C. Mudge, Cameron, Sam Wooden, Thomas on Farrar street, C. L. Mott, Callahan on Farrar street, Rev. R. E. Cook.

## WM. SCHEELHORN VISITING PARENTS

Enlisted in Navy From Brainerd in April 1917, Has Been in the Transport Service

### MADE SEVEN TRIPS ACROSS

Refutes the German Propaganda Story of Last Year That Transport Had Been Sunk

Wm. Scheelhorn, son of Adolph Scheelhorn of 120 Gillis Ave. N. E., is home on a ten days' furlough. Young Scheelhorn enlisted in the navy April, 1917, and was put in the transport service. He has made over seven trips transporting troops.

His visit in Brainerd refutes any German propaganda story which was circulated last year to the effect that the transport Scheelhorn was on had been torpedoed and lost with all on board. The rumor at the time had the family in Brainerd in tears, and the originator of the story never could be traced down.

### NOTICE

In order to comply with the wishes of the food administration we will go on a cash and carry system Sept 15th. There will be no delivery direct to consumers after Friday, Sept. 14. Delivery to stores, hotels and restaurants will continue as before.

C. A. LAGERQUIST.

SOLEY KIDNEY PILLS  
FOR KIDNEY TROUBLE AND BLIND

## NO TIME OF DAY GIVEN BY CENTRAL

Government Orders are to Conserve Time and Cease Answering That Question

### 500 SUCH CALLS DAILY HERE

Get a Watch or Clock and Answer Your Own Question on the Time is Only Remedy

In line with the policy of the government to conserve labor and materials for war needs, the former practice of the telephone company of giving the time of day was discontinued September 1.

When a telephone subscriber asks: "What is the time, please?" it takes as much time on the part of the operator and an equal use of telephone equipment as would be required to complete an ordinary telephone call. In Brainerd more than 500 requests for the time are made daily over the telephone, so when this practice is discontinued more important telephone calls can be handled with the same operating force and same equipment.

The telephone operators have also been instructed to courteously decline to give information regarding other matters not directly relating to the furnishing of telephone service. One quite common practice which has been eliminated is the calling of people in the morning. Requests for this service have been made in larger numbers than most people realize, particularly by people without alarm clocks or those who desired to be sure of being awakened in the morning.

With the growing requirements of the government for telephone equipment for the fighting forces abroad and service for training camps, supply depots and other parts of the "war machine" in this country, telephone facilities are taxed to their utmost. The telephone service will permit the release of operators and equipment for more important messages and result in the company being better able to take care of the service with the present telephone forces and facilities.

## "THIS IS SURE THE LIFE FOR A MAN"

Private Wm. Gildart, Jr., Started Alone for Camp Lewis, Joined by Hundreds on Way

### 60,000 MEN IN THE BARRACKS

In Quarantine Now, Boys Cheered Girls on Way Until They're so Hoarse Can't Whisper

Private Wm. Gildart, Jr., of South Long Lake, who left for Camp Lewis, Wash., all by himself last Tuesday, was soon joined by comrades on the route.

He is enthusiastic about the army. "We got here all right Saturday morning."

"Gee, this is sure the life for a young man. You don't need to worry while we are here. There are about 60,000 men here now and more are coming every day, whole train loads of them."

"I am writing this at the Y. M. C. A. It is so full of men you can hardly move a pencil. Did you have my leaving Brainerd in the Dispatch? Send me a paper so I can show all the fellows."

"Sixty-five men got on at Bismarck, N. D., so I had company from there on. We saw lots of girls all along the stations of the Northern Pacific. Lots of us got awful colds for we had to holler back at them every time."

"Now we are in quarantine and are passing away the time singing hymns, or humming them when our voices played out. We expect to get our suits some time this week and will send my picture and the company picture, 294 men."

"This is sure the life, and I would not miss going to the front and doing my little share in this war for anything in the world. We got to get together and lick the Germans to a finish."

"Don't be afraid about my shooting. I shot enough rabbits and ducks to nail a hun when his head bobs up. How is my old time girl? Is she alive yet?"

Yours truly,

BILL.

### Card of Thanks

I wish to thank friends and neighbors, the Odd Fellows and Yeomen lodges, Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church, W. C. T. U. for kindness and sympathy shown me in my bereavement when my beloved husband was called to his reward. I wish to thank also for the many floral tributes, also these donating cars.

612p MRS. SOPHIA WALTERS.

## ROLL OF HONOR

The Misses Belle Peaslee and Sophia Witte went to Staples this afternoon to see the latter's brother, Valentine, who is coming through there on his way to Camp Grant. She now has three brothers in the service, one being over in France.

Capt. Fred Place, brother of Miss Belle Peaslee, has arrived safely over seas. He is an instructor in photography and an aide to Major O'Brien. In the early days Capt. Place was on the Brainerd Dispatch force and later with the Minneapolis Tribune, Hearst's Weekly Review for picture houses, etc.

Corporal Walter Whirley has arrived safely over seas.

Corporal R. J. Potter, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Potter, has arrived safely over seas.

Norman E. Potter, in service in France, has been promoted to sergeant.

Stephen Nichols, formerly editor of the Barrows News, and now in national guard service, is home on a short furlough from Blawie of the Mesaba range. The company is shortly to be transferred.

Bert Cunningham lost his left leg by shell fire in France and will soon be invalided home. He is the son of Joseph Cunningham of Gull river and enlisted in the machine gun corps a year ago.

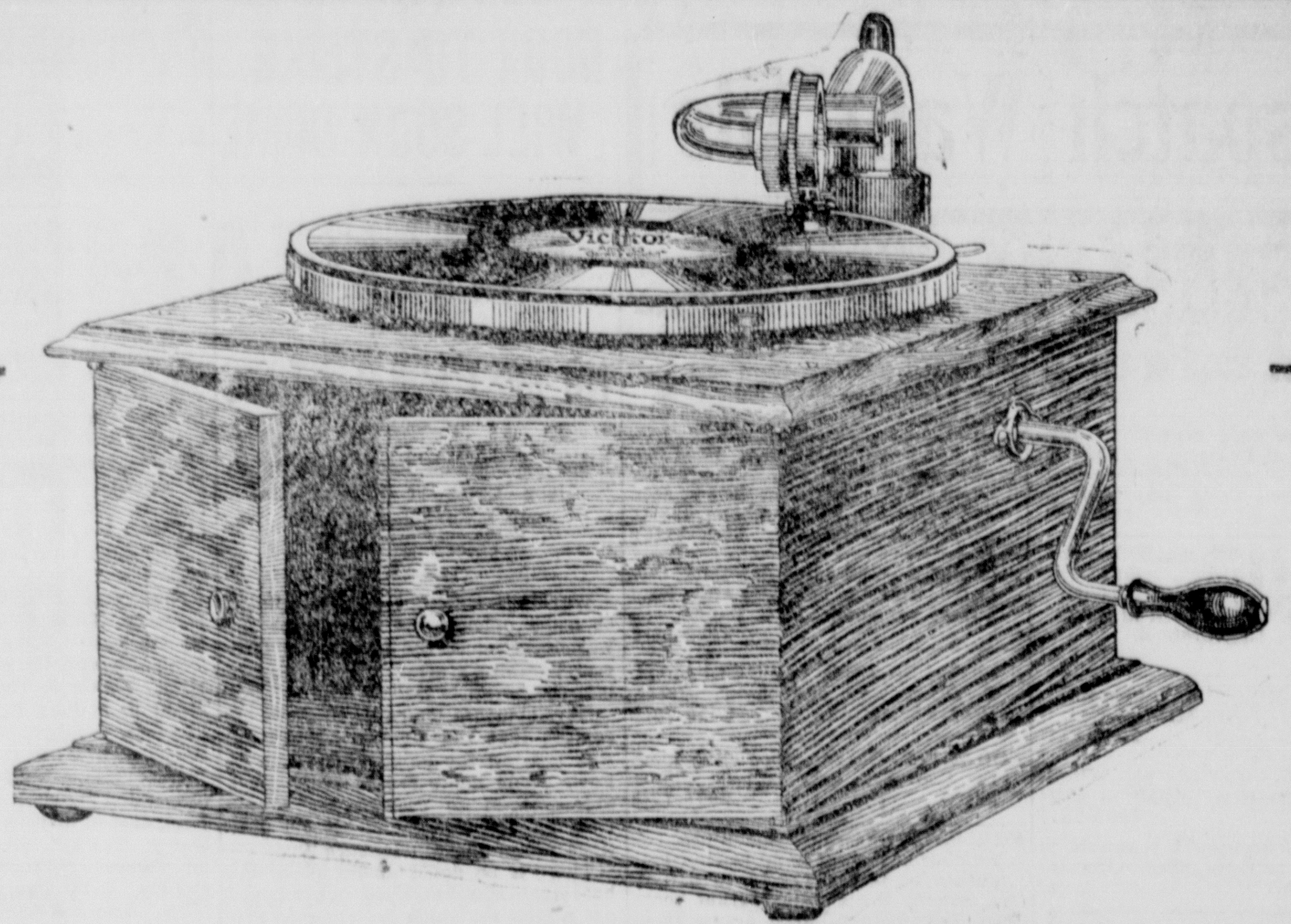
Private Harry Molgren is home from a training camp. Ludwig Dahl came from the Great Lakes training station this afternoon for a short furlough.

## BRAINERD'S OLDEST STORIES OF TODAY

B. E. Dunham of the Elks started with a good record as an officer. Elected Thursday evening Esteemed Lecturing Knight, he borrowed a ritual and sat up at home that night and memorized the whole part.

Keep your car at home Sunday coast of the Mississippi. Government agents will keep tab if you are out and your car number will be spread on a government record. You may have a plan to save gasoline, but no one has asked you for it. But you have been asked by the government to save on Sunday. Don't blame the government for stopping this Sunday driving, blame the kaiser. To hell with the kaiser.

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For This \$32.50 Victrola

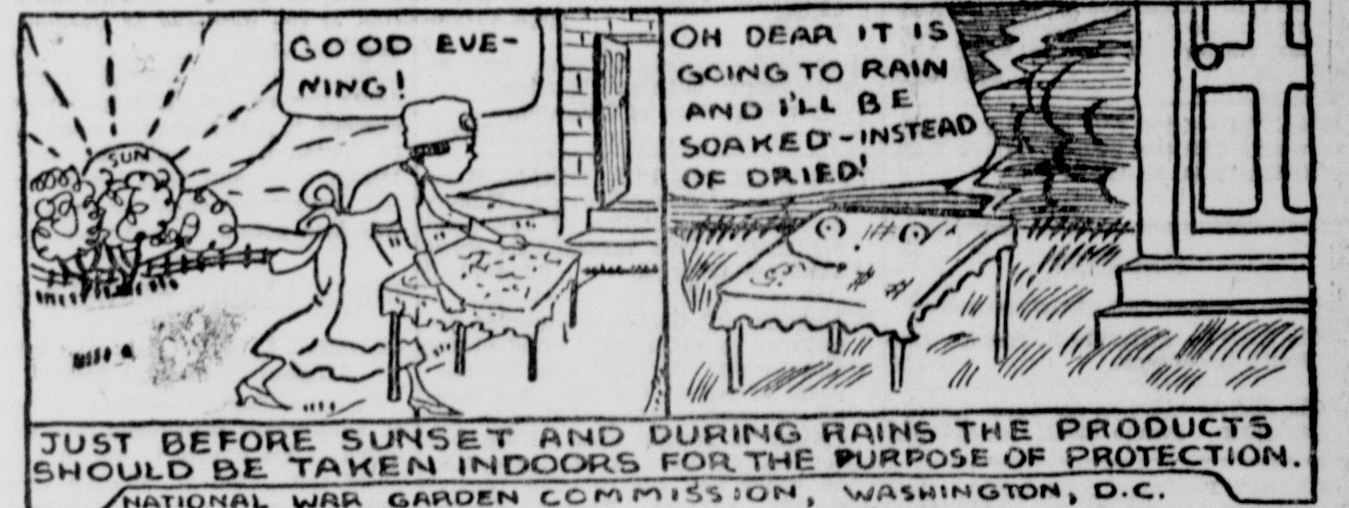
Enjoy Your Victrola While Paying For It

A limited number of \$32.50 Victrolas will be offered upon these very easy terms, \$2.95 down and \$2.95 a month until paid for.

This Victrola VI has a 12 inch turntable and will play any Victor record. The long winter evenings are not far ahead. Buy a Victrola and prepare to enjoy them.

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## KEEP YOUR EYE ON THE SKY IN DRYING



JUST BEFORE SUNSET AND DURING RAINS THE PRODUCTS SHOULD BE TAKEN INDOORS FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROTECTION. NATIONAL WAR GARDEN COMMISSION, WASHINGTON, D. C.

\* In a free book on drying, which will be sent readers of this paper for a two-cent stamp to pay postage by the National War Garden Commission of Washington, you will find the best advice on drying.

## Threw His Locomotive at Bunch of Heinies

(By United Press) Paris, Aug. 18 (By Mail)—George Robertson of the Railway Engineers is wearing the Croix de Guerre for ingenuity in utilizing one of the most novel weapons of the war.

During the recent German drive an American unit of engineers was hauling ammunition and supplies up to the French lines. Just as the Germans began to get too near for comfort, Robertson's huge American locomotive ran off the track. He had to leave it. But before evacuating he screwed down the safety valve and turned on the oil fuel supply into the firebox.

About 20 minutes later, while 60 Germans were standing around the engine, it happened.

The boiler blew up with a tremendous roar. So far as the Germans were concerned it had the same effect as a half dozen well-placed shells.

### MAKE WORK EASIER

Brainerd People are Pleased to Learn How it Has Been Done

It's pretty hard to attend to duties with a constantly aching back; With annoying urinary disorders, Doan's Kidney Pills have made work easier.

So thousands have gratefully testified.

They're for bad backs. They're for weak kidneys. Brainerd people gratefully recommend Doan's.

Mrs. W. H. Everest, 367 S. Seventh St., Brainerd, says: "I used to have terrible pain in my back; it fairly

made me sick. After any exertion my back would be sore and lame and it was a hard matter to get through with my housework. My kidneys didn't act as they should and as Doan's Kidney Pills had been used in the family with great results I started to take them. It was no time before I got relief and I always get the same good results now when I use Doan's Kidney Pills."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Everest had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

### U. S. TRANSPORT TORPEDOED

Damaged Vessel Manages to Make French Port.

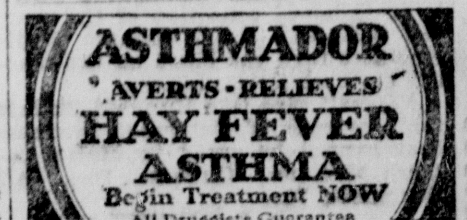
Washington, Sept. 7.—The American troop transport Mount Vernon, formerly the German Kron Prinz Cecile was torpedoed off the French coast but returned to a French port at 14 knots, declared the Navy department. No loss of life is yet reported. The torpedoing occurred 200 miles off the French coast.

### WILCOX AGAIN TAKES LEAD

Only Eight Precincts Missing in Wisconsin Primary.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 7.—With eight precincts missing Senator Roy Wilcox resumed his lead over Governor Philipp for the Republican gubernatorial nomination. His lead was 235.

Wilcox managers are now claiming the nomination for their candidate.



ASTHMADOR  
VERTS-RELIEVES  
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Begin Treatment NOW  
All Druggists Guarantee

Keep Winter Out of Your Home With a Genuine Round Oak Heater



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# Dispatch Want Ads

## HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girls at Ideal hotel. 2952-821f

WANTED—Porter at the Iron Exchange hotel. 2951-820f

WANTED—A good teamster. John Larson, Fuel Dealer. 2929-771f

WANTED—Bell Boy. Ransford hotel. 2926-781f

WANTED—Chamber maid. Ransford hotel. 2925-784f

WANTED—A boy to work in bakery. Anderson & Engelbrecht. 2924-781f

WANTED—Milliner's apprentice and maker. H. F. Michael Co. 2948-811f

BLACKSMITH wanted at Wilcox mine at Woodrow. Apply at mine office. 2933-781f

WANTED—Good boy 16 years old to work in printing office. Inquire at Dispatch. 2933-781f

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. Claus Theorin, apply sheriff's residence. 2943-801f

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Apply F. H. Gruenhagen at Shipp-Gruenhagen Co. 2921-781f

WANTED—An elderly woman or girl to do housework. 719 8th St. N. E. 2947-811f

WANTED at once, girl for kitchen work at Dairy Lunch room. 2790-541f

WANTED—Girl at St. Joseph's hospital. 2934-791f

WANTED AT ONCE—Girl for general housework. 507 N. 4th St. 2916-771f

WANTED—Good plain cook for small family at the Iron Exchange hotel. 2789-541f

WANTED—Fireman. Steady employment for competent, careful man. Model Laundry Co. 2897-731f

WANTED—Girl for general housework, washing sent out. Mrs. Carl Zapfe, 504 3rd St. N. 2870-691f

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Mrs. W. H. Taylor, corner 3rd St. and Bluff Ave. 2821-611f

WANTED—Girl for general housework; \$20 per month. Care J. E. O'Brien, D. M. Clark Co. 2901-741f

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 722 South Broadway. 2916-771f

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 42-R. 2941-801f

FOR RENT—Seven room house. Inquire at 406 6th St. S. 2963-161f

FOR RENT—Modern house, partly or unfurnished. 1011 Kingwood. Inquire at 305 E. Bluff Ave. 2872-691f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 203 N. 4th St. 2949-812p

FOR RENT—Room at 424 So. 5th St. two blocks from city hall. 2937-791f

FOR RENT—Furnished modern home 623 N. 7th St. Phone 381-L. 2935-781f

FOR RENT—Furnished room, also garage room for one car. 922 S. 7th St. 2944-813p

FOR RENT—Five room cottage. Inquire 225 Chippewa St. 2888-721f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping on first and second floors. Call at 307 South 7th St. 2855-671f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms in modern house, 517 No. Fifth St. 2887-541f

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good piano. 516 4th Ave. 2768-511f

FOR SALE CHEAP—Nearly new 6 cylinder, 5 passenger car. Inquire at this office. 2900-7412p

FOR SALE CHEAP—One 12 h. p. Fuller & Johnson gasoline engine, with movable trucks. Woodhead Motor Co. 2742-451f

FOR SALE CHEAP—Cottage at Nisswa. Terms if desired. Address J. S., Dispatch. 2733-431f

FOR SALE—Five passenger automobile. Inquire at Dispatch office. 2823-611f-341f

FOR SALE—Nicely located modern home of ten rooms and bath, steam heat, electric lights and gas; barn and garden lot. Smaller property taken in trade. See owner, 213 N. 9th St. 2954-821f

## FOR SALE—Continued

FOR SALE—Six foot show case and cash register. Excellent shape. Call 601-M4. 2839-641f

FOR SALE CHEAP—Hard coal heater. 1324 Oak St. Phone 70-R. 2945-811f

FOR SALE—Ford, in first class mechanical condition, completely overhauled. Bargain. Can be seen at 760 S. 5th St., or phone 432-L. Clifford Russell. 2946-811p

FOR SALE—160 acres fine land, Oak Lawn, near the five mile cross road \$25.00 per acre. E. C. Bane. 2932-781f

FOR SALE—Milk cows, call on H. C. Gray, west end main street, Deerwood, Minn. 2930-781f

FOR SALE—Garage, good sills, room for two cars, easy terms. Phone 577-J. 2918-771f

FOR SALE—Sewing machines. A number of second hand sewing machines at prices \$10.00 to \$15.00 apiece at the Public Market room in the Gardner block, across from the City Hall. 2940-801f

FOR SALE—Fine summer cottage on Hubert lake, within two minutes walk of Hubert station. Fine beach. Best location on lake. Inquire at this office or address E. W. Kaley, Hubert, Minn. 2910-771f

FOR SALE—Finest income bearing property in Brainerd, the Pearce block of five stores and eight furnished flats, a nine-room house, a five-room house, garage, holding seven cars, and 140 feet trackage. Sell for cash or on terms. Leaving Brainerd account poor health of Mrs. Pearce. Address J. K. Pearce, Pearce block, Brainerd, Minn. 2904-751f

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FOR SALE—Good cupboard, sewing machine and small articles still to be sold. Call at the Gardner store room on corner of 5th and Laurel, opposite City Hall. 2904-751f

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## MISCELLANEOUS

WASHING WANTED—702 South Maple. 2950-8212p

WANTED—Furnished flat, one or two rooms, bath and kitchen. Address "Z," care of Dispatch. 2875-701f

TYPEWRITERS FOR RENT—Remingtons, Smiths, Royals, Underwoods. Your choice of 175 good machines. Low rates. Little Falls Business College. 2885-711f

WANTED AT ONCE—Financial assistance in obtaining United States and foreign patents, also the disposal of same, of a new and valuable invention connected with operation of freight cars. Help win the war by putting this invention on every box car in the entire world. Address, Expert Scotty, 111 Myrtle St., N. E. Brainerd. 2938-801f

## HAYWOOD'S SISTER TAKEN

Arrested in Connection With Chicago Bomb Plot.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—John W. (Shorty) Wilson, leader of the I. W. W., and Mrs. Minnie Wymann, sister of William B. Haywood, convicted secretary treasurer of the I. W. W., were taken in custody in a raid on a West Side house in connection with the bomb explosion in the federal building Wednesday, resulting in the death of four persons and the injury of more than 30 others.

Army Must Surpass Allies.

New York, Sept. 7.—America's fighting army in France next year must surpass in numbers either the French or British armies there, declared Col. Theodore Roosevelt. He insisted that the Austrian and Turkish empires must both be broken up, all the subject people liberated and the Turk must be driven from Europe. These assertions were made by Colonel Roosevelt in an address delivered as a part of the exercises held in celebration of Lafayette day the anniversary of Lafayette's birth.

Catarrrhal Deafness Cannot be Cured.

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrrhal deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound of imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrrh which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

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Toledo, O.

## WILL SOON COME

Washington Officials Believe Immense Stroke by Americans Is Imminent.

## NO REST FOR TEUTONS

Plans of Marshal Foch Seem to Be Along Lines of Keeping Enemy Moving and Prevent Trench Warfare.

Washington, Sept. 7.—In the opinion of many officers and officials of the war department, the hour when General Pershing's army will be thrown into the battle is rapidly approaching. Developments indicated to these observers that the German withdrawal was nearing the point when Marshal Foch would make use of every available weapon to prevent the enemy from making a stand in his old positions along the Hindenburg line.

There is no doubt among observers here that Marshal Foch has mapped out a plan by which he hopes to prevent the enemy from settling into his old lines and reverting again to trench warfare.

It is argued that if the enemy attempts to hold the Hindenburg line, or such of it as he can, he will have to mass reserves to do it. A new attack, far to the south and east of the present battle area, would compel him to rush reserves to that front and it is in such an attack that many officials are confident that General Pershing's army will be employed.

It is noted here that no effort has been made by Marshal Foch to extend the action to the front east of Rheims thus far. The sector between that place and Verdun has been completely quiet through the fierce fighting to the north. Many officers think an attack may be launched there with the object of turning the whole German line northward and that probably a simultaneous attack would be delivered beyond Verdun, where the original American sector lies, to complete this conception of a wide turning movement against the enemy positions in Northern France.

The St. Mihiel salient, where the German lines thrust forward beyond Verdun on the west, might offer a chance for Foch's favorite pincher tactics, some officers think.

There are indications that this front is held by Americans with the exception of the defenses of Verdun itself and the lines east of that city. If General Pershing should strike suddenly toward Metz and meet with any success, it is thought the enemy might be forced to evacuate the whole St. Mihiel bend and that the pursuit of that retirement could be expanded at will into action of whatever scope.

## JUDGE LANDIS REFUSES BAIL

Convicted I. W. W. Leaders Will Be Taken to Federal Prison.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Attorney George F. Vanderveer announced that he had failed in his efforts to obtain bail for 11 of the I. W. W. officials recently convicted on a charge of conspiracy in interfering with the government in the conduct of the war. Judge Landis declined to grant a further extension of the order issued a week ago staying execution of the sentences and the United States circuit court of appeals refused to admit the defendants to bail.

The 94 defendants, sentenced to serve terms varying from one to 20 years in the penitentiary, will be taken to a federal prison without further delay.

## YANKEES MAKE IMPRESSION

Soldiers in France Are Considered Models of Propriety.

New York, Sept. 7.—The American army in France stands higher morally than the civil population, due to the influence for good thrown around our soldiers by the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., the Knights of Columbus and other agencies working for their betterment, said Dr. Charles S. Macfarland on his return here after a tour of the western front in behalf of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ of America, of which he is general secretary. He delivered messages to the American and Allied armies and the French people.

## HINDENBURG IS CONFIDENT

Says Decisive Battle Is On and Germans Will Win.

Amsterdam, Sept. 7.—"The decisive battle is taking place. Our watchword is 'Persevere.' We will win." Field Marshal von Hindenburg is quoted as saying in an interview in the Austrian Neues Wiener Journal, according to advices here.

## German Plots Anger Chileans.

Santiago, Chile, Sept. 7.—The attempt of German crews to destroy their interned ships in Chilean harbors has caused a wave of indignation to sweep through Chile. The plot to destroy the ships apparently was carefully planned as crews in three different ports acted simultaneously, using dynamite to destroy the machinery of their vessels. The German steamers interned in Chilean ports number thirty-two, while the total number of sailing vessels is fifty-seven.

## 744 LOSSES REPORTED

U. S. Casualties Now Amount to 26,646.

Last List Cabled Shows 50 Killed in Action, 517 Wounded and 139 Missing.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Casualties in the American Expeditionary Forces numbering 744 have been announced by the war department.

General J. J. Pershing, included 50 officers and men killed in action, 26 dead of wounds, 10 dead of disease, two dead from accident and other causes, 517 wounded and 139 missing in action. The American losses to date total 26,646.

Northwest names appear as follows: Privates Alfred N. Hystad, Watford, N. D., Lester King, Redwood Falls, Minn., George K. Senstad, Lakeville, Minn., Walter J. Thome, Elgin, N. D., killed in action; Privates Charles E. Fletcher, Prosper, N. D., Roy D. Garlinger, Fairfax, S. D., died of wounds; Private Kenneth F. Kingsley, Edgerton, Minn., Abner Rude, South St. Paul, died of disease; Serg. William F. Keller, Rapidan, Minn., Louis I. Guntion, Benson, Minn., Charles A. Baker, Overby, N. D., Tracy Muir, Jamestown, N. D., Jesse A. Tiedemann, Jamestown, N. D., Alex H. Hinn, Portal, N. D., J. C. Gabe, Taylor, N. D., Robt. F. McConnell, Lake City, Minn., severely wounded; Cook Frank A. Falls, Sioux Falls, S. D., Joseph A. Kubesh, Olivia, Minn., Henry A. Klumb, Ethan, S. D., Harold M. Lindseth, Turtle River, Minn., Joe Olson, Guckeen, Minn., John Peterson, Dell Rapids, S. D., Michael W. Railbala, Floodwood, Minn., John J. Secora, Huron, S. D., Arnold D. Dittbrenner, St. Peter, Minn., Arthur O. Odland, New London, Minn., Arden Frank Ranney, Frankfort, S. D., John Anderson, Toronto, S. D., Martin B. Thoreson, Dawson, Minn., John C. Ferguson, Milbank, S. D., wounded, degree undetermined.

LABOR FAVORS HOME RULE

British Trades Union Congress Goes on Record.

Derby, Eng., Sept. 7.—The British labor congress, by a majority of five to one, passed a resolution to the effect that the war has not changed the soundness of the principles of free trade, and urging upon the government the danger of imposing tariffs on imports.

A resolution urging the government to grant home rule in Ireland was carried by acclamation.

Wounded Given Outing.

London, Sept. 7.—One hundred wounded American soldiers, a majority of them from Minnesota, Illinois and Michigan, who are convalescing in a hospital in a small town in England, were brought to London for a day's outing. They were the guests of the Y. M. C. A. and the Red Cross. Many of the men had never expected to see London, after having been shunted through England in a hurry on their way to France and were pleased with the sight-seeing trips on which they were conducted.

## DAILY MARKET REPORT

Minneapolis, Grain.

Minneapolis, Sept. 7.—Oats, September, 65½c; October, 69½c; November, 70½c; rye, September, 1.64½; October, 1.66½.

Duluth, Sept. 7.—Flaxseed, September, \$4.16; October, \$4.03; November, \$4.01; December, \$3.97.

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Corn, September, 1.57½; October, 1.59½.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Sept. 7.—Cows, \$7@10; calves, \$6@17; hogs, \$18.90@19.25; sheep and lambs, \$11.75@15.75.

Omaha Live Stock.

Omaha, Sept. 7.—Hogs, 6.300; low, heavy, \$18.70@19.15; mixed, \$18.80@19; bulk of sales, \$18.75@19. Cat, 2.100; stronger; native steers, \$12@18; cows and heifers, \$7.25@11.25; stockers and feeders, \$6.50@15.50; calves, \$8.50@13.45; bulls, stage, etc., \$7@11; sheep receipts, 9,000; steady; lambs, \$16.25@17.25; yearlings, \$12@13.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Minneapolis, Sept. 7.—Butter—Creamery extras, per lb. 46c; extra firsts, 45c; firsts, 44c; seconds, 43c; dairy, 37c; packing firsts, 35c.

Eggs—Fresh prime firsts, new cases, 41c; current receipts, new cases, top out, \$11.70; old cases, top out, \$11.40; checks and seconds, doz. 28c; dirties, candled, 30c. Quotations on eggs in casks.

Live Poultry—Turkeys, fat, 10 lb. and over, 30c; thin, small, 10@12c; cripples and culls, unsalable; roosters old and young springs, 19c; ducks 18c; geese, 15c; hens, 4 lbs and over 27c; hens, under 4 lbs, 24c; broilers over 2½ lbs, 28c; broilers, 2½ lbs and under, 28c.

Poultry—Country dressed sells at from 2c to 3c above prices on live.

Italian Socialists Oppose War.

Rome, Sept. 7.—The Socialist congress practically closed with a complete triumph for the extremists. A resolution which was adopted by an overwhelming majority debate praises the conduct of Avanti, the official organ of the party, and condemns the failure of Socialist deputies to energetically oppose the war. The resolution requests the Socialist deputies to henceforth obey the orders of the executive committee, which is empowered to expel recalcitrant deputies. Several deputies threaten to resign.

## SELF DEFENSE

DEFEAT BACKACHE AND KIDNEY TROUBLE WITH ANURIC.

Many people in Minnesota have suffered from rheumatism and kidney troubles and have found Anuric to be the most successful remedy to overcome these painful and dangerous ailments.

The lucky persons are those who have suffered, but who are now well because they heeded Nature's warning signal in time to correct their trouble with that wonderful new discovery of Dr. Pierce's called "Anuric." You should promptly heed these warnings, some of which are the dizzy spells, backache, irregularity of the urine or the painful twinges of rheumatism, sciatica or lumbago. To delay may make possible the dangerous forms of kidney disease, such as stone in the bladder.

To overcome these distressing conditions take plenty of exercise in the open air, avoid a heavy meat diet, drink freely of water and at each meal take Anuric (double strength).

All pharmacists sell Anuric for 60c; or send Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c for trial package.

BOY RIVER, MINN.—"I have used Dr. Pierce's medicines with good results in my family for years. Last winter I was taken with La Grippe and it left me run down and with pains in my hips and back. I took different medicines without getting any benefit. At last I sent and got some Anuric and took it and am feeling well and doing a good day's work. When I commenced taking the Anuric Tablets I could hardly get out of bed, felt as though a knife were sticking in my back."

—A. C. BLODGETT.

## COLLIDE DURING FOG

Fruit Vessel Is Sunk by Impact With Supply Ship.

Accident Occurs Off Atlantic City, N. J., and Five Lives Are Reported Lost.

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 7.—The United Fruit company's steamer Almirante has been sunk at sea in collision with the United States supply ship Hisco. Five lives are reported to have been lost.

The Hisco picked up four of the dead along with the survivors and the crew of a coast guard station picked up the body of the fifth victim.

The collision occurred nine miles southeast of the Atlantic City lighthouse during a heavy fog.

Coast guard crews and the fishing fleet from the inlet here are patrolling the scene of the collision.

The Almirante, it was said, was struck just off her bow and went down in four minutes.

Five Sailors Diver Victims.

Washington, Sept. 7.—The Navy department was informed that the American steamer Lake Owens had been sunk by a submarine. Five members of the civilian crew are reported lost.

The steamer, an army cargo carrier of 2,308 tons, was sent down by gunfire in foreign waters Sept. 3.

## TO REPLACE QUALIFIED MEN

Places in Bureaus to Be Filled By Physically Unfit.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Secretary N. D. Baker has ordered war department bureau chiefs to replace by Dec. 31 all men within the draft ages who would be classified in Class I now assigned to duty in war department branches, with men physically disqualified for general military service. Positions thus vacated also may be filled by men in the deferred classes because of having dependents. Exceptions are to be made where incumbents are indispensable and where men not within the draft age are not available to take their places. Bureau chiefs are instructed to report Dec. 1 the number and names of all men within the draft age then employed and furnish a certificate that each is indispensable and others not within the draft age are not available.

## PASSES AGRICULTURAL BILL

Senate Adopts Measure Carrying Prohibition Rider.

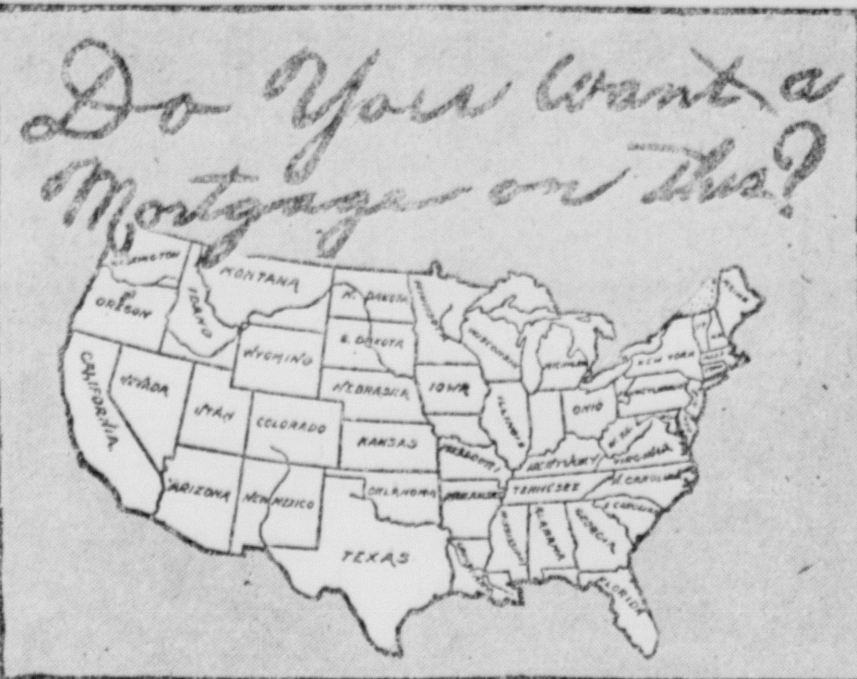
Washington, Sept. 7.—The \$12,000,000 emergency agriculture appropriation bill with its rider for national prohibition from next July 1 until the American armies are demobilized after the end of the war, was passed by the Senate without a roll call.

Senators voting against retaining the "dry" legislation in the bill were Brandegee of Connecticut, Gerry of Rhode Island, Phelan of California, Pomeroy of Ohio, Ransdell of Louisiana and Underwood of Alabama.

Novel Grounds for Divorce.

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 7.—A divorce case on grounds decidedly out of the ordinary has been started in district court here by Christina Cassidy. She claims that her husband forced her to subsist for several months in 1916 on green peanuts and when she complained he substituted a diet of beans, following this later with raw meat. Continuing her allegations, she states that he forced her to use an old stove that smoked and that he refused to let her open the windows.

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## PRINTERS' INK

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This Food Fair Price List has been prepared by the Brainerd Price Listing Committee of the U. S. Food Administration.

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SEPTEMBER 7, 1918.

Commodity	Wholesale	Retail
Wheat flour, per 1-16 bbl., bag 1, 12½ lbs.	.73	.80
Wheat Flour, bulk, per lb.	.05½	.07
Barley flour, per 1-16 bbl., bag 1, 12½ lbs.	.70	.78
Barley flour, blk, per lb.	.05½	.07
Rye flour, 10 lb. bag	.58	.70
Rye flour, bulk, per lb.	.05½	.07
Corn flour, bulk, per lb.	.05½	.07
Rice flour, bulk, per lb.	.09½	.12½
Corn meal, bulk, per lb.	.05	.06
Cornmeal, package, 10 lb. pkg.	.52	.60
Victory Bread, price per loaf, 24 oz.	.12	.15
Victory bread, price per loaf, 16 oz.	.08	.10
Oatmeal or rolled oats, bulk, lb.	.06 1-3	.08
Oatmeal or rolled oats, pkg., 3 lb 7 oz.	.25½	.30
Rice, unbroken, standard quality, lb.	.11½	.14
Hominy or hominy grits, per lb.	.07 1-3	.09
Sugar, granulated, bulk	.08½	.10
Beans white, navy or pea, not lima, lb.	.12	.14
Beans, colored, pinto or any other	.12	.15
Potatoes, white or Irish, per lb.	.01½	.01¾
Onions, per lb.	.04½	.05
Raisins, seeded, per 16 oz. pkg.	.12½	.14
Prunes, medium, size 70-80, lb.	.10 to .12	.12 to .16
Canned tomatoes, standard grade, per 20 oz. can	.15	.18
Canned corn, standard grade, per 20 oz. can	.15½	.18
Canned peas, standard grade, per 20 oz. can	.11 to .16	.12½ to .20
Canned salmon, tall, pink, Alaska, per 16 oz. No. 1 can	.18	.23
Canned salmon tall red Alaska per 16 oz. (No. 1) can	.27	.30
Evaporated milk, unsweetened, per 6 oz. can	.05½	.07
Evaporated milk, unsweetened, per 16 oz. can	.10 to .12½	.12½ to .15
Milk, bottled, per qt.	.09	.10
Butter, creamery, print, per lb.	.45	.50
Oleomargarine, per lb. prints	.31	.35
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	.39	.43
Cheese, American, full cream, cut, per lb.	.31½	.35
Lard, pure, bulk, per lb.	.28½	.32
Lard, pure, in pkg.	.30½	.35
Lard substitute, tub, per lb.	.23½	.28
Lard substitute in tin, per lb.	.24	.28
Bacon, breakfast, sliced, standard grade, per lb.	.29 to .48	.35 to .62
Pork chops, per lb.	.33½	.35 to .40
Ham, smoked, sliced, per lb.	.33½	.45 to .52
Round steak, per lb.	.25	.32
Hens, year or more old, dressed, lb.	.18 to .22	.25 to .28
Home Fish, fresh, lb.	.14 to .18	.17 to .21